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INVENTION: SWITCHING PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR THE  
TRANSMISSION OF USER DATA PACKETS

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.56, Applicant requests that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

**REMARKS**

Applicant respectfully submits that the claimed invention is distinguishable and non-obvious over the enclosed references, taken singly or in combination. Accordingly, early consideration and allowance of the application, including the claims, are hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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